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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant

YU  
Application No. : 10/809,489  
Filed : March 26, 2004  
Title : LOCKING APPARATUS COMBINED WITH A FASTENER  
FOR CONTROLLING LOCKING/UNLOCKING THEREOF  
Group Art Unit : 3676  
Examiner : L. Gall  
Docket No. : BHT/3101-212

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**TRANSMITTAL COVER SHEET**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are the following:

1. AMENDMENT - in response to Office Action of October 5, 2004.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required  
for the filing of this document to Deposit Account No. 501874.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: January 5, 2005

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